



June 2022

Campus Sojourner

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS



Jacob Reuter

Not Pictured:
Elizabeth Grichnik



Hannah McClure

CONGRATULATIONS CONFIRMANDS



Nicklaus Heydn and Benjamin Duque

Weekly Calendar

Sunday

- 7:45 am Choir Rehearsal
- 8:30 am First Service
- 9:45 am Education Hour
- 11:00 am Second Service

Monday

- 2:00 pm Staff Meeting

Tuesday

- 10:00 am Tuesday Morning Ladies Bible Study
- 6:00 pm Alaska Mission Team Meeting
- 6:00 pm Friends in Faith
- 7:30 pm High School Ladies Bible Study

Wednesday

- 4:00 pm Monthly Mid-Week Communion Service (2nd Wednesday)
- 5:30 pm Praise Team Rehearsal
- 6:00 pm Follow God's Lead

Thursday

- Craig Busseau's Day Off
- 7:00 am Early Thursday Morning Bible Study: 2nd & 4th Thursdays (In-person & Zoom Meeting)

Friday

- Pastor Kent's Day Off

PASTOR'S CORNER



Jesus said in Matthew 28:19-20, His last words to the disciples, “Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.” An even more accurate way to translate the “go” in verse 19 is to say: “As you are going about, make disciples of every kind of person everywhere.”

Those were Jesus' delivery instructions for the gifts He won on Calvary. As you read through the book of Acts you will notice that that's exactly what the disciples did. They baptized and taught people about Jesus. And the result? More disciples! More people received the gifts of forgiveness and new life!

As Jesus' disciples today, those are our delivery instructions too! As we are going about, we bear witness to our Savior. Gathered together as the body of Christ, we are engaged in our Lord's disciple-making mission through the ministries of our congregation. I encourage you to reflect and pray about what God is doing in us and through us at Campus Lutheran. You'll get a tiny glimpse of that as you turn through the pages of the Sojourner.

While the disciple-making mission that takes place through the ministries of our congregation is important, it's just as important to remember that each one of us bears witness to Christ as we go about our daily lives. Oftentimes the circumstances and opportunities for sharing our faith are unplanned and unexpected. Pray that God will open your eyes to those open doors that you are given for sharing the love and message of Jesus.

+Serving Christ with you+

Pastor Kent

MISSION TRIPS

Sponsor a VBS Child in Alaska

The Alaska Mission Team brings God's word to the children of Anchor Point, Alaska each year. Here is an opportunity for you to help in this year's work. We are asking for congregation members to individually sponsor the children of Anchor Point. Pictures and names of each child that attends the team's Vacation Bible School program are available in the Community Life Center for you to take home. We ask that you pray for that child and their family, and to financially support Campus Lutheran Church's mission of sharing the love of Christ with them for a donation of \$200. We thank you for your continued support of this outreach.



Please contact Bryan Ross if you have any questions.

Discipleship and Family Life Ministry



VBS 2022

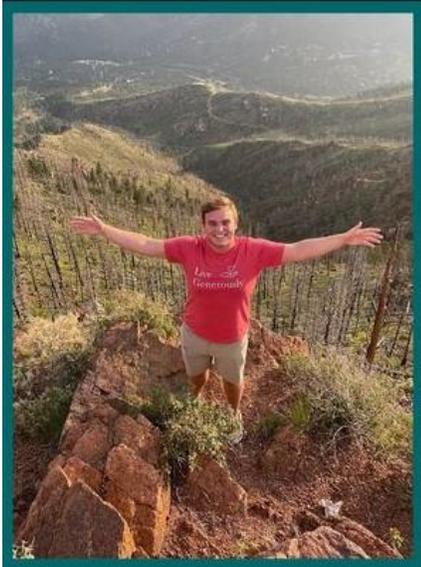
We will be trying a new format for VBS this year. It will be on Friday evening, Saturday, and Sunday morning August 12, 13, and 14. This year's curriculum is called **Monumental: Celebrating God's Greatness**. We will cover one lesson on Friday, three lessons on Saturday, and one on Sunday morning. Activities include group openings, Bible stories, crafts, games, meals and snacks, videos, and group closings. **There will be a closing worship service at 11:00 on Sunday the 14th with the children involved.** We look forward to many of you being available to help us out. We'll be in touch. Let me know if you would like to help at craig.busseau@campuslutheran.org.



First Communion - Hailey Sarff



Student Ministry



Noah Novak

M-I-Z! Z-O-U! What a time to be a Mizzou graduate! Not only have I had the best support system to get me through college, but this support system will help me get through the beginnings of my career. As I just graduated with a degree in Industrial Engineering, it is important to reflect on how I was able to get it done in the first place. I don't think I could thank anyone more than God, and the people he has placed at Campus Lutheran. The people he has put in my life are examples of God's continuous work within everyday life. When I see my friends at the Gathering or at church on Sunday I am reminded of the love God has for each one of us and how he will provide support in ways you might not understand.

The past four years have been a whirlwind of emotion from starting my college journey, going through a pandemic, and graduating. Through all of these life steps, one thing has kept me going each week and reminded me of the truly most important thing in life. The Gathering was a shining light each week (alongside church of course), as I was able to be in fellowship with fellow believers as we dove into Bible studies, prayer, and praise. Each week, I was reminded of how much love God has for each one of us, as my fellow friends and I dove into the fruits of the spirit, the Red Letter challenge, Kings, Proverbs, etc. With each Bible study came a new way God showed his love to his people and reminds me that I am no different than all other sinners. Even though I sin a lot, as does everyone, I know that I am constantly forgiven and belong in His kingdom.

As I go into my next life stage, I am ecstatic that I am staying in Columbia and get to continue going to Campus Lutheran. Even though I won't be going to the Gathering, I will be going to the newly revamped quarter-life program! When I start my new job in June, I am sure there will be new challenges that come up ahead, but I am sure that my faith and support system at Campus Lutheran will get me through any trial, as we worship God together.



STUDENT MINISTRY TEAM - THOMAS SENTER



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2022-2023 LSF OFFICERS

President: Jacob Reuter (jsr9m4@umsystem.edu)
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Congratulations College Graduates!!



Natalie Carlson—Major: Dietetics Internship; Future Plans: Pass the credential exam to become a registered dietician and start as a clinical dietician at Capital Regional Medical Center in Jefferson City.



Nolan Chapman—Major: Economics and Statistics; Future Plans: Fall internship followed by graduate school.



Aubree Johnson—Major: Psychology; Future Plans: Full-time job; hopes to someday return for her Master’s in Addiction Psychology.



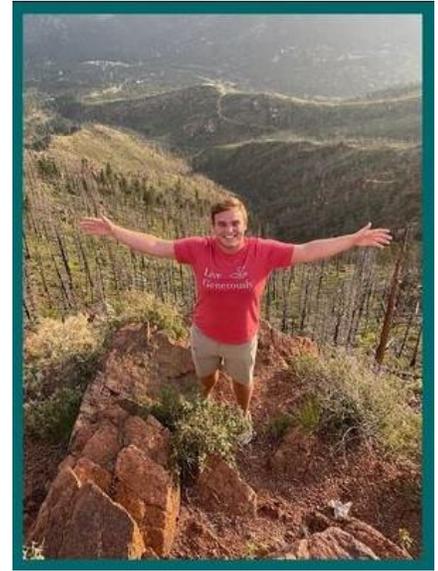
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Tyler Kroenke—Major: Accounting; Future Plans: **Marry Carolyn Faber in the Summer of 2022** and work as a tax accountant for RSM in St. Louis.



Abby Mirly— Major: Special Education; Future Plans: Teach K– 2 Special Education and coach middle school softball.



Noah Novak— Major: Industrial Engineering; Future Plans: Work for Caterpillar as a Manufacturing Engineer to get started in the industry.



Sarah Thompson—Major: Bioenvironmental Engineering; Future Plans: Hopefully something along the lines of Civil or Environmental Engineering.



Riley Vogler—Major: Agriculture (Ag Business, Ag Communications, Plant Science); Future Plans: Internship with Missouri Department of Agriculture doing marketing and communication efforts at the capitol in Jefferson City. After the summer, job searching!

Not Pictured: Blake Trickey

INTERNATIONAL MINISTRY - REV. ART SIMMONS

Go All In!

That was the theme of Pastor Kent's recent series, "Launch!". Imagine what it would feel like if we went all in with our International Ministry. We'd have conversation groups, an adopt a visitor chance, some small group Bible studies, cooking classes (limited to comfort foods only!), a chance to learn about the world's different cultures—and brag about our own--on and on the list could go. You could contribute your own ideas. But most of all, we'd have the opportunity of sharing our God's love with those who haven't heard about Him! We'd have an energetic and enthusiastic leader to show us how to be the best we could be at all this, who would provide us with everything we' need to be successful. Let's go "all in" and see what God can do with our efforts. And maybe, just maybe, we'll have a lot of fun along the way.

SOCIAL MINISTRY TEAM - SARAH PELLIS



Our Circle of Friends group, Lutheran Blind Mission, is meeting in person again. We started meeting in person in September 2021 and continued meeting through The end of the year. Due to the pandemic, we had to take January and February 2022 off. We were happy to resume our in person meetings in March 2022. For those of you who may not be familiar with our group, we are a group Developed through LCMS which serves the community by inviting blind and visually impaired individuals to CLC once a month. We share a meal, devotion and fellowship. Trinity Lutheran shares in this commitment to serve. They provide a meal to our group every other month. We are in need of volunteers both for driving individuals home and for preparing the meals. If you are interested, please call Sarah Pellis at 573-819-7002.

SOCIAL MINISTRY TEAM CONTINUED

Social Ministry Team Updates

The Social Ministry Team would like to update the members of CLC regarding the different projects we have been working on the past year. The first project was starting a Grief Care Ministry at CLC in the Spring of 2021. This ministry focuses on reaching out to our CLC members when they are experiencing the loss of a loved one. When a death occurs, we reach out to the individual family to see what their needs are. We also send a series of grief care books from Stephen's Ministry. We feel this ministry has been quite successful and very much appreciated. Last Summer, it was brought to the attention of Social Ministries that the Care and Share area needed to be reorganized and updated. Lugine Hein spearheaded this project along with Beth Greimann. Not only did the area get cleaned and reorganized but the radiator and water fountain were removed, the room painted and new carpet was installed. A special thank you to Mark Brakhane, David Moentmann and Luke Lilienkamp. All of the above mentioned worked tirelessly in completing this project.

We had a very successful year with our shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child. We collected over 50 boxes. We would like to thank all of our church members who participated in making this project a success. We also had an outstanding year for our Coyote Hill Giving Tree. We collected more gift cards than we ever have. Unfortunately, gift cards do not always show the monetary amount on the front of the card. So, we do not have an exact dollar amount to give you. We estimate that we raised a minimum of \$1000 in gift cards for Coyote Hill. Again, thank you to all who participated.

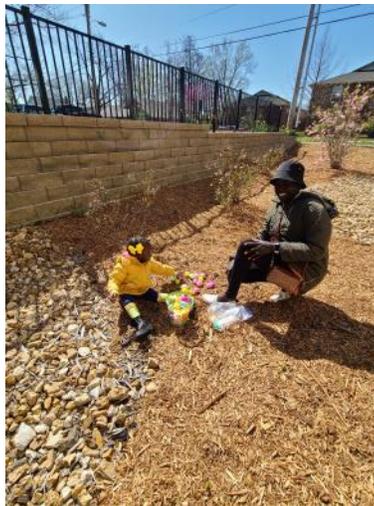
Last September, we started meeting in person for our Circle of Friends, Lutheran Blind Mission, group. We were able to meet in person the rest of the 2021 calendar year. Again, the pandemic put a halt on our in-person meetings for January and February of this year. We were able to start meeting again in March 2022. This has been very good for the group.

This Spring and Summer we will be working with the Central Missouri Food Bank in order to collect nonperishable food for the organization. The food bank has been low on donations for quite some time. They attribute this to the fact that many more individuals are having to use them for a source of food for their families. They are also struggling to operate due to a lack of volunteers and the heavy expense, with increased fuel prices, to get food to their neighboring counties. We decided to do a food drive in May, June and July of this year. We are going to have a different focus for each month. More information will be coming soon. In the month of May, we will be collecting canned fruit. The food bank requested canned fruit because they feel their inventory is always low on this item. The Social Ministries Team would like to thank everyone who has participated in our projects this past year. If you would like more information on any of the above items or if you would like to volunteer, please contact Sarah Pellis using the information below.

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Easter Egg Hunt



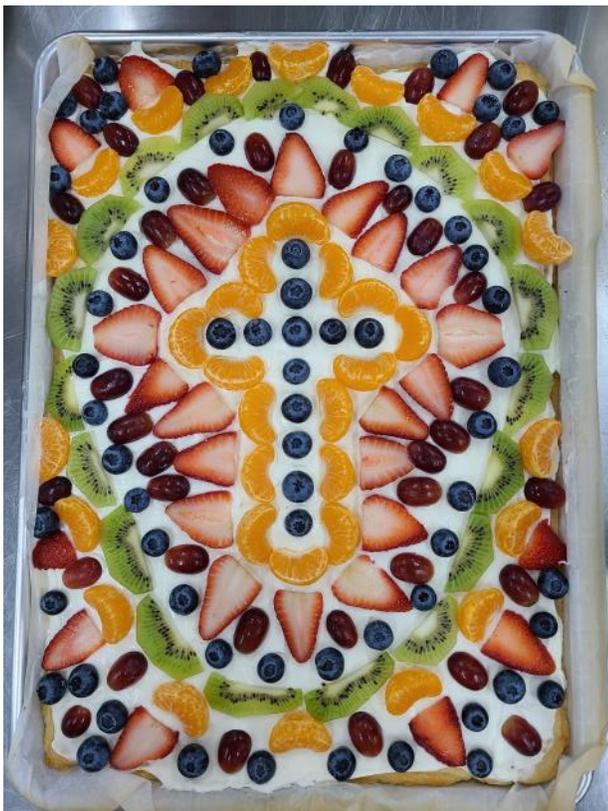
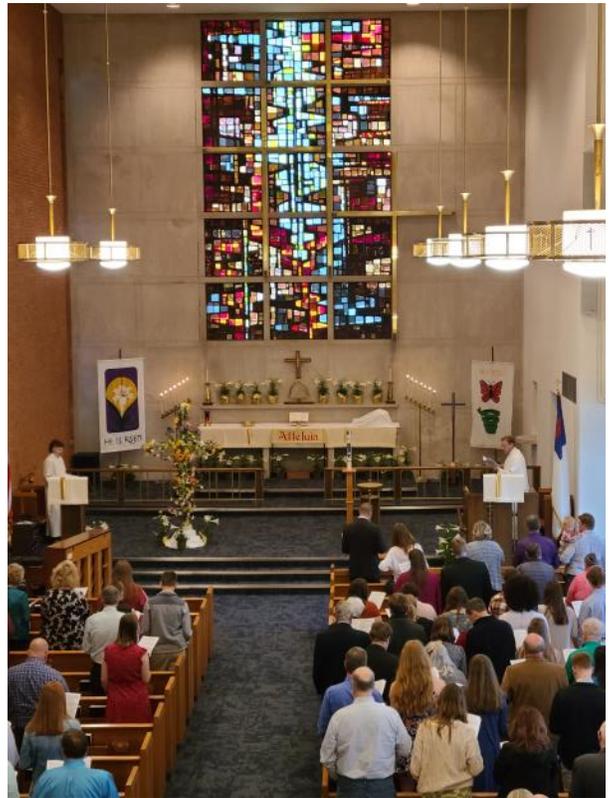
Easter Egg Hunt Continued



Good Friday



Easter Sunday



Tuesday Morning Ladies Bible Study group addressing Easter Cards to members who have been missed at church.

Commitment Sunday



SEMINARIAN NEWS

To Campus Lutheran Church:

Hello again from St. Louis! It is good to write to you again! My final year at Seminary is wrapping up with much excitement! This will probably be my last letter that I write to you, so let me take the time to give a big THANK YOU for supporting me through this entire process. It seems like I have been here studying to be a pastor for a very long time—but in a good way! And now, I finally—*finally!*—have my first call!

With sacred joy it is my pleasure to tell you that I have been called to serve as the associate pastor at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Brookfield, Wisconsin! It is a larger church on the west side of Milwaukee. The church has around 1500 members and a school with 400 kids. Nora (my fiancée) and I are beyond excited to move to Wisconsin, a state that we both love dearly. I cannot wait to see what God has in store for us in Brookfield!

In the envelope I left a picture of Nora and myself on Call Day. I figured that, after all this time, it might be good for you to know what we looked like! May God bless you, now and always!

In Christ,

Colby Howell



DORCAS GUILD - MARY SUITS



Dorcas Guild members making Easter ornaments for the children to pick up Easter Sunday.



Eighteen Dorcas Guild members and friends met at Lenior Woods. Chaplain Jeffrey Sippy shared a very inspirational message. Darlene Bachmann was our hostess.

For the last several years, Dorcas Guild have made blankets for graduating high school seniors from our congregation or family member of our members.



Robert Lee with his blanket made by Dorcas Guild

Linda Moat was installed as Columbia Zone LWML Secretary Sunday, May 1, Zone Rally at Trinity Lutheran Church, Columbia. Also attending the Rally were Dorcas Guild members Sharon Peirce, Gloria Hoehne and Mary Suits. Linda and Mary will be the Delegates from Dorcas Guild to the Missouri District in St. Louis County June 3-5.



Youth Ministry Team - Mary Anne Wolfmeyer



Congratulations Graduates!!



Garrett Huggins



Averi Kroenke



Robert Lee



Emily Zimmerschied

The youth group students and families would like to recognize our high school students who are Seniors and will be graduating in May as follows:

Garrett Huggins - Heritage Academy, accepted to several colleges but has not made a final decision on which one he will be attending

Averi Kroenke - Rock Bridge High School, will be attending Mizzou to play basketball but has not picked a major yet

Robert Lee - Battle High School, will be attending Truman State University majoring in Phycology

Emily Zimmerschied - Christian Fellowship, will be attending Missouri State University to study Wildlife Conservation

Not Pictured: Skyler Fulmer and Luke Telle

Congratulations and best wishes to all of you. You have worked hard to accomplish this important milestone in your life. God's blessings to you at this special time.

Jeremiah 29:11 *"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."*

Youth Ministry Team Continued

Float Your Boat





The Envelope Project: by the attendees of the LCMS Youth Gathering to Houston in 2022

The youth, shepherds, and YAVs (Young Adult Volunteers) are getting EXCITED about the LCMS Youth Gathering in Houston this coming July. This is a time of preparation, faith building, personal growth, inspiring worship, and full exhilaration and complete exhaustion.

As we PREPARE for this journey with Jesus and His people, we ask for you to come along side us. We ask for you to pray for us, to encourage us, and if you are so able, to financially support us.

What does this look like?

- Pray the hearts of the attendees of the Youth Gathering (ours and globally) are fortified and opened as the Holy Spirit prepares and renovates to make room for the packing and repacking in the process of growing in faith. Pray for our attendees by name.
 - Encourage the attendees through conversations and notes. Connect with at least one youth. Let them know you desire to be part of their family in faith and wish to come along side them as they mature in their faith. Encourage our attendees intentionally.
 - Include an additional financial gift designated for the Youth Gathering. As with most things, the cost of things has gone up from our original planning three years ago. Although we have been greatly blessed in this time, we are short in our funds. Thank you for your additional help.
 - **Take an envelope from the Blue Board in the Connect Room. Inside you will find a note from one of our attendees. They have included a little biographical introduction and some specific prayer request. Let us know which envelope you took on the clip board nearby. Start connecting with the person you received.**
- * Want a creative way to support the shepherds attending? Have a creative way to help cut our costs? Want some ideas of alternative ways to help us financially? Check with Jen Pierce.



† Elders' Prayers:

MAY 21 - Elaine **GUELDNER**; Jean **GUELDNER**; Meridith, Jeremy, Kaiden & Kyler **HALEY**; Audrey **HARNED**; Vernon **HARTMAN**; Vicki & Rod **HARTWIG**; Neal & Linda **HEERMANN**; Ron & Lugine **HEIN**; Seth **HEIN**; Erika **HERTING**; Nathan **HERTING**; Bob **HERTING, III**; Bob & Nora Frohberg **HERTING**; Beth, Nicklaus & Olivia **HEYDN**; Bruce & Dana **HIBBARD**; John & Gloria **HOEHNE**; Kerry & Linda **HOFFMAN**; Lindy & Valerie **HOLLEY**; Kevin **HOLMAN**; Wanda **HORN**; Gail **HORRELL**; Ashtyn **HOWARD**

JUNE 18 - Colin, Angela, Alexander & Samantha **HUBERT**; Caitlyn **HUGGINS**; Allen, Karen, Garrett, Logan & Rylan **HUGGINS**; Ann **HUGHES**; Richard & Hannah **INGMIRE**; Morgan **JENNINGS**; Mike & Julie **JONES**; Cindy & John **KADLEC**; Katherine **KADLEC**; Millie **KAISER**; Eric & Ruth **KINCANON**; Sharon **KINDEN**; John **KLOCKE**; Adam **KOENIG**; Sam **KOENIG**; Meredith & Gary **KRAUS**; Connor **KRIETE**

Happy Birthday!

May:

- 1 - Tim Duffen, John Kruse
- 5 - Wayne Porath, Blake Trickey
- 8 - Kate Ross
- 11 - Sheilah Sharon
- 13 - Rylan Huggins
- 14 - Matt Vaughn
- 15 - Rob Vaughn
- 16 - Paul Lilienkamp, Cindy Kadlec
- 17 - Noah Novak, Rusty Olson
- 19 - Linda Porath, Ryan Dupre
- 20 - Laura Roth
- 24 - Adam Patterson

25 - David Moentmann

June:

- 2 - Bob Herting, Jr.
- 3 - John Hoehne, Becky Ross
- 4 - Paula Morgret
- 5 - Gail Horrell, Mike Alexander, Kersten Brown
- 8 - Alison Unterreiner, Logan Huggins
- 10 - Karen Huggins
- 11 - Zachary McAdams
- 14 - Logan Arnett
- 15 - Adam Koenig, Sam Koenig
- 17 - Ruth Kincanon
- 18 - Gail Horrell
- 20 - Audrey Harned, Linda Duffen, Brian Davison

- 21 - Kate Lohman
- 22 - Gloria Hoehne
- 23 - Emmalyn Marlett, Nick Ford
- 24 - Jane Terhune
- 26 - Scott Dart, Carolyn Faber, John Stecker
- 27 - Jay Pellis
- 29 - Jonah Unterreiner, Dayna



The Tuesday Morning Coffee group put together Blessing Bags for the homeless.

The Tuesday Morning Coffee Group is opened to anyone who enjoys lively conversations. It meets in the Community Life Center on Tuesdays at 9:00 am.

**May:**

Pat Lieurance, Helen Pelousky,
Sheilah Sharon, Vicki Hartwig, David
Manz, Rusty Olson, Lugine Hein,
Cindy Craig, Cindy Kadlec,
Joel George, Bob Herting III,
Erika Herting, Becky Ross,
Autumn Garvey, Katherine Kadlec,
Adam Barchet, Jake Vaughn,
Emma Pierce, Caitlyn Huggins,
Kate Ross, Justin Forney, Colin Ross,
Lucas Elliott, Tina Bartels,
Pamela Mathews, Maxwell Bartels,
Kaiden Haley

June:

Wayne Porath, Linda Porath,
Barry Steevens, Mike Alexander,
Paul Lilienkamp, Julie Zimmerschied,
Donna Bogle, Bryan Ross, Laura Roth,
Caelan Morgret, Noah Novak,
Matt Vaughn, Rylan Huggins,
Skyler Fulmer, Lydia Lohmann,
Elliott George

Wedding Anniversaries**May:**

Blake & Kristen Maxey celebrate 16 years on May 6
Allen & Karen Huggins celebrate 20 years on May 8
Bob & Nora Frohberg Herting celebrate 27 years on May 6
Curtis & Theresa Nelson celebrate 35 years on May 25

June:

Thomas & Sarah Senter celebrate 7 years on June 27
Meridith & Jeremy Haley celebrate 8 years on June 21
Adam & Shannon Patterson celebrate 16 years on June 3
Bryan & Becky Ross celebrate 23 years on June 19
Troy & April McAdams celebrate 26 years on June 22
Carl & Cindy Barchet celebrate 26 years on June 5
Craig & Beth Busseau celebrate 42 years on June 7
Jim & Joyce George celebrate 43 years on June 9
Lee & Joyce Chorley celebrate 50 years on June 10
Dan & Kathy Schoenherr celebrate 57 years on June 26
Eric & Ruth Kincanon celebrate 63 years on June 6



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